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From: Gwinn, Maureen
Sent: Fri 9/29/2017 12:37:55 PM
Subject: RE: SOT Merit Award Nomination for Mel Andersen
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Great news! Thank you. I'm working on the email for others now, although I know I'll be missing some names you both be able to add.

Thank you!

Maureen

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From: Thomas, Russell
Sent: Friday, September 29, 2017 8:27 AM
To: Gwinn, Maureen <gwinn.maureen@epa.gov>
Cc: Bahadori, Tina <Bahadori.Tina@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: SOT Merit Award Nomination for Mel Andersen

George is willing to write a letter. Please send CV as soon as possible and I will pass it along to him.

Rusty

From: Gwinn, Maureen
Sent: Wednesday, September 27, 2017 9:39 PM
To: Thomas, Russell <Thomas.Russell@epa.gov>
Cc: Bahadori, Tina <Bahadori.Tina@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: SOT Merit Award Nomination for Mel Andersen

I was going to email him but if you are okay with calling that would be better since I don't know him. I hope to have the updated CV done tomorrow (working on it now) and can send it his way. Then I will email a larger hunch about supporting letters. We already hit up John Bucher tonight so we have a start!

I'll cc you both on the group I email to, and if there are any folks I miss (which I am sure I will) please let me know!

Thanks

Maureen

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 27, 2017, at 5:34 PM, Thomas, Russell <Thomas.Russell@epa.gov> wrote:

That helps A LOT! I can work with this. What I can add is the personal touch, which I'm told really helps in these nominations.

Are you going to call George or do you need me to do it? I'm certainly willing and have a good relationship with George.

From: Gwinn, Maureen

Sent: Wednesday, September 27, 2017 5:28 PM
To: Thomas, Russell <Thomas.Russell@epa.gov>; Bahadori, Tina
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Here's what we have for the DCA. May need more flowers and a personal touch. I'm happy to work on it over the weekend.

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From: Thomas, Russell
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I can try, but I'm red lining these days. I'm not a very fast (and flowery) writer like Tina. The one I did for Mel took a good chunk of time.

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When is the deadline?

From: Gwinn, Maureen
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I'll draft something up and send tonight/first thing tomorrow.

Rusty, are you okay with being the other official nominator? It could be me I just think others would carry more weight.

Thanks

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From: Bahadori, Tina
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This is how Rusty did Mel's you can also get the process going and asking to forward to others who might be interested? The issue is you have less time than Rusty did.

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Dear Current and Former Friends, Colleagues, Associates, and Collaborators of Mel,

As most of you are probably aware, Mel will be entering semi-retirement later this year and the field of toxicology will be losing one of its most innovative and influential thinkers. For many of us, Mel is not only a cherished friend, but he also has had a significant impact on our careers. I know from my own experience, the conversations I had with him laid the foundation for many of the research directions that I pursue today. In light of this impact, I would like to nominate him for the 2016 SOT Merit Award. I would also like to do it in a style that reflects his outsized influence on the field. I am asking that each of you write a letter nominating Mel for the award and send it to me by September 30. According to the SOT website, the letter should contain “documentation and description of career highlights for the nominee and his or her significant contributions to toxicology”. Details about the award and Mel’s CV are attached. You can also visit SOT’s website at http://www.toxicology.org/application/af/awards_details.aspx?id=22. I would encourage each of you to describe your views on his contributions to toxicology, but also to include personal anecdotes on your scientific collaborations together or how he may have impacted your career. I will then compile the letters and submit them together as a single package to the SOT Awards Committee before the October 9 deadline. Normally, only two letters are required to nominate an individual for this award, but I would like to demonstrate to the committee both the breadth and nature of his influence. In addition, I am planning to bind all the letters together into a book and present them to Mel as a retirement gift. I believe it will be a fitting reminder to him of all the people he influenced throughout his career. Please join me in nominating Mel for an award he so richly deserves.

Best,

Rusty

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